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For: POLYNUCLEOTIDES,	§	
POLYPEPTIDES AND ANTIBODIES	§	
AND USE THEREOF IN TREATING	§	
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ELECTION AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Restriction Office Action mailed March 10, 2009, which response is being made on or before April 10, 2009, and for which no extension of time fee is due.

It is Applicants' opinion that new claims 90 – 99 correspond to a single invention related to a method of regulating HIV budding.

A new set of claims is attached herewith.